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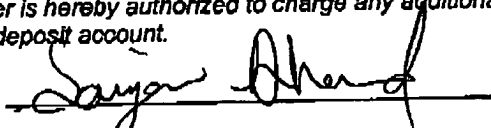
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**WHEREAS**, Karsten Laing of Theodor-Hauss-Strasse 29, 71566 Althutte, Germany (hereinafter referred to singly and collectively as "ASSIGNOR") have invented a certain invention entitled **ELECTRIC ROTOR** (Atty. Dkt. No. 027209-00701) for which an application for United States Letters Patent was filed on August 26, 2003 as Application No. 10/648,846; and

**WHEREAS**, Oliver Laing, Karsten Laing, and Birger Laing, (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE") is desirous of acquiring the entire interest therein;

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR has sold, assigned, and transferred, and by these presents hereby sells, assigns, and transfers, unto ASSIGNEES, their successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right, title, and interest in and to (a) the above-identified invention or inventions and all improvements and modifications thereof, (b) the above-identified application and all other applications for Letters Patent of the United States and countries foreign thereto for the above-identified invention or inventions and all improvements and modifications thereof, (c) all Letters Patent which may issue from said applications in the United States and countries foreign thereto, (d) all divisions, continuations, reissues, and extensions of said applications and Letters Patent, and (e) the right to claim for any of said applications the full benefits and priority rights under the International Convention and any other international agreement to which the United States adheres; such right, title, and interest to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEES, their successors and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which any and all such Letters Patent may be granted as fully and entirely as would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNOR had this Assignment not been made.

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Executed this 23 day of 09, 2002.

  
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KARSTEN LAING

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was personally present and did see KARSTEN LAING execute the within assignment  
and who is personally known to me to be the person signing such document.

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